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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Re: New U.S. Patent Appln.
Our Ref: 037133.52558US

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of: **Yoji HATA**
entitled: **Semiconductor Memory Apparatus**

Enclosed are:

1. Specification, including 2 claims (pages 20).
2. 3 Sheets of Formal drawings showing Figs. 1-3.
3. Declaration and Power of Attorney.
4. Application Data Sheet
5. Assignment of the invention to UMC Japan
6. Certified copy of Priority Document 194842/2002 filed in Japan on July 3, 2002, the priority of which is being claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119 and 37 C.F.R. §1.55.
7. The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

Basic Fee						\$375/750	=	\$750.00
Total Claims	<u>2</u>	-	20	=	<u>0</u>	x	\$9/18	= \$
Independent Claims	<u>2</u>	-		=	<u>0</u>	x	\$42/84	= \$
Multiple Dependent Claim Presented						\$140/280	=	\$
Total Filing Fee								<u>\$750.00</u>

Two checks in the amount of \$750.00 for the filing fee and \$40.00 for the assignment recording fee are enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 05-1323 (Docket #037133.52558US).

Respectfully submitted,

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